

Social and Personal.

TUESDAY, October 19, is the 128th anniversary of the surrender of Cornwallis at Yorktown, and the historical societies have arranged a pilgrimage to the spot as a fitting celebration of the occasion. Special trains and boats have been chartered for the accommodation of the people going to this historic and inaccessible little town. The celebration is under the auspices of the Sons of the Revolution, the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities, and the Colonial Dames.

Large delegations from these societies will attend the celebration, as will also a number of Richmond people.

The train will leave Richmond at 8:30 A. M. and returning will leave West Point about 6:30 P. M., arriving here at half-past 7.

Yorktown is one of the quaintest and most romantic old towns in Virginia, and it is expected that a number of gay little parties will be made up for the day.

Return to Richmond.
Major and Mrs. James H. Dooley, who have spent the summer and fall most delightfully in New England and the mountains of Virginia, returned this week from Staunton, where they have been the guests of the Misses Elder, and will open Maymont, their beautiful place on the James River, where they will be for the winter.

Mrs. Joffin Here.
Mr. and Mrs. Joffin, of "Clover Hill," in Albemarle county, are the guests of Mrs. C. W. Tanner, at her residence, 1105 Floyd Avenue. Mrs. Joffin will be remembered as Miss Carrie Randolph before her marriage, and has often visited in Richmond, where she has hosts of friends.

Owen-Wilson-Brett.
Tuesday evening, October 12, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Addison Chastine Houston was the scene of a very pretty wedding, when their only daughter, Mrs. Lella Houston Brett, was united in marriage to Arthur Owen-Wilson, son of the late Arthur Owen-Wilson, of Huntsville, Ala., and a grandson of the late Rev. John Owen-Wilson, of Preston, England, and the late Hugh Crawford Barwick, of St. Catharines, Canada.

Mrs. Owen-Wilson is a young woman of great beauty and many accomplishments, well known in Richmond society. She was born and reared in Richmond, and on her maternal side is a descendant of one of Virginia's distinguished statesmen, President James Madison.

The house was beautifully decorated in palms and goldenrod.
Miss Agnes L. Wade, cousin of the bride, wore a lovely creation in pink and white, and carried pink carnations. The bride, attired in traveling costume of blue, was met at the altar by the groom, who was attended by E. H. Tatum, of Birmingham, Ala.

The service of the Episcopal Church was read by the Rev. Mr. James. After the ceremony the couple left for a bridal trip, and will be at home at 215 Grove Avenue, after November 1.

Guest of Mrs. Houston.
Mrs. May Mathews is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Houston, having come to Richmond to attend the wedding of her brother, Arthur Owen-Wilson. Mrs. Mathews will remain in Richmond for several weeks.

Gibson-Nickell.
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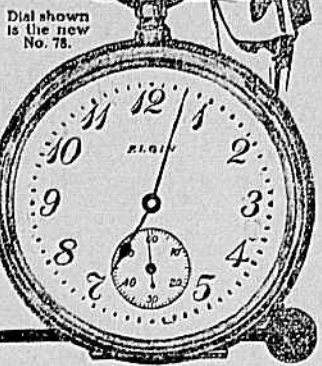
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Miss Cleaton to Wed.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Cleaton, of Portsmouth, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Dill Cleaton, to William Bell Collier, Jr., formerly of San Francisco, but now of Portsmouth. The wedding will take place on November 10.

In and Out of Town.
Mrs. S. H. Parker and daughter, of Western New York, left Richmond yesterday to be the guests of her mother, Mrs. Tom Jones, in Charlottesville.

E. J. Warren, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. T. D. Hanson, has gone to Elkton.

Miss Pearl Lewis has returned to Harrisonburg, after a visit of ten days to friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Dunn have been the guests of Mrs. Dunn's mother, Mrs. M. E. Pearce, at West Point, for the past week.

Miss Ida Bazamini, who has been visiting Mrs. W. J. Perry in Staunton, has returned to the city.

Mrs. J. H. Garlick, of Staunton, is the guest of relatives in Richmond.

Julius A. Hobson spent several days last week with friends in Louisa.

Miss Susie Lee Eastwood was the guest of her parents, Major and Mrs. A. W. Eastwood, for the week-end at West Point.

Miss Grace Boyer has returned to her home in Newport News, after a visit of several weeks to friends in this city.

Dr. Bruce Payne returned yesterday to Charlottesville, after spending several days in Richmond.

Mrs. G. F. Schmidt returned yesterday from a delightful visit to friends at Delaplane.

Mrs. William L. Dunn, who has been the guest of Mr. R. R. Powell, has returned to her home at Glade Spring, Va.

Miss Freda Quarles, of South Third Street, is spending some time with her aunt, Mrs. McCoy, at Culpeper.

Mrs. R. R. Powell, of 205 East Byrd Street, will leave to-day for a visit of two weeks to friends at Oakland, Va.

Approaching Marriage.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] CHATHAM, Va., October 15.—The marriage of Miss Annie Garland Dillard, oldest daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Green, of Bowling Green, will be celebrated in Emmanuel Episcopal Church Wednesday night, Rev. C. O. Prudden officiating. The occasion will be the

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CELEBRATION BY ODD-FELLOWS

Hold Pleasant Meeting on Fifteenth Anniversary of the Petersburg Lodge.

MOTOR RACE IS POSTPONED

Will Take Place To-Day a Week—Hustings Court Begins Thursday.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] PETERSBURG, Va., October 15.—Petersburg Lodge, No. 75, I. O. O. F., had a pleasant celebration of the fifteenth anniversary of the lodge last night. The attendance of members was large, and while there was no elaborate program of ceremonies, several appropriate talks were made and good fellowship prevailed. An oyster supper was partaken of.

An All-Day Rally.
High Street Methodist Episcopal Church Sunday school, the largest in the city, and having the largest men's Bible class, will have a practically all-day rally on Sunday. At 9 o'clock, following the roll call of teachers and officers, the exercises will begin in the school with music, recitations and brief addresses. Following will come the exercises by the Phoenix (men's Bible) class, with orchestral selections, duets and quartets and solos. Captain W. P. Deasey will sing the famous lines on Old Blandford Church, the air accompanied to which were composed by him, and exercises will be continued at the 11 o'clock service with an address by the pastor, Rev. J. K. Lovett, and a prayer. The installation of the teachers and an address by R. Randolph Jones, City Superintendent of Schools, on the "Responsibilities of the Teachers and the School Teacher" will follow.

Motor Race Postponed.
The motor race on the Appomattox, which had been announced to come off to-morrow afternoon, under the auspices of the Petersburg Motor Boat Club, has been postponed until Saturday of next week. The change was made because some of the boats which had been entered for the race could not be gotten in readiness by to-morrow. It has been stated there are eighteen entries.

News in General.
So much interest has been manifested by merchants and farmers in the coming exhibit of the farm products of the three counties of Chesterfield, Dinwiddie and Prince George, that it has been decided to hold the exhibition for two days, instead of one, as had been previously determined. Many of the merchants of the city will add interest to the exhibits by displays of their stores.

A number of fine country homes have been erected in this section of Chesterfield county along the line of the Richmond and Petersburg electric line, and some of them are owned by merchants and business men in this city. The first new Spanish peasant market to-day by the J. B. Worth Company at \$1 per bushel. The nuts are of fine quality and are sold in this section in much better the average.

The grand and petit jurors and veniremen to serve during the term of the Hustings Court beginning next Thursday, have been duly summoned. There will be six or eight felony cases on the docket. The Tartie cases, arising out of the troubles in the Harrison Street (colored) Church, are also set for trial at this term.

The Republicans of this city will extend a hearty reception to ex-Secretary Les M. Shaw, who is to speak here on October 25.

IS ADJUDGED INSANE.
Man Who Set Fire to Stanton Hotel Sent to the Asylum.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] STAUNTON, Va., October 15.—James H. Chambers, charged with setting fire to the Stanton Hotel, which was burned just as it was being put in order for opening for the summer, was adjudged insane by a jury in the Circuit Court and committed to the Western State Hospital.

Even the owner of the property regarded him as insane.

ONE MINUTE IN JAIL.
Staunton Negro Convicted of Illegal Voting.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] STAUNTON, Va., October 15.—George Hodgson, a negro, was convicted in the Corporation Court of illegal voting in the recent local option election, and the jury imposed a penalty of \$10 fine and one minute in jail.

Negroes May Govern Town.
HAMILTON, O., October 15.—The negro voters of the college town of Oxford, who number 100 out of less than 400 voters of the community, to-day put in the field a complete ticket of candidates for public offices. As there are three white tickets, the town faces the possibility of being governed by negroes.

Mrs. Kinsolving Improving.
Dr. Cullen Pitt returned to the city yesterday morning from Brooklyn, where he had been with his sister, Mrs. W. H. Kinsolving, who has been ill there. Telegrams received yesterday from Mrs. Kinsolving stated that she was improving rapidly and would soon be completely recovered.

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CHILDREN'S DAY AT DANVILLE FAIR

Ten Thousand People, Including Many School Children, on the Grounds.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] DANVILLE, Va., October 15.—It is estimated that about 10,000 people were on the grounds during the third day of the Danville Fair.

Although the day dawned brightly, towards noon the sky became overcast and the weather grew cool towards evening, but the crowd was a good-natured one, and seemed to take the sudden change in the atmosphere lightly.

Children in Large Numbers.
To-day was Children's Day, all the schools being given a holiday, and the grounds swarmed with school children. In the gentlemen's driving contest, John Overby, of Danville, took the first prize, with Norman Schofield, of Sutherland, second.

Norman Schofield took first and Lee Wilson, of Danville, second, prize in the riding contest. Sam Hairston, of "Oak Hill," had a splendid exhibit of cattle, and won great many premiums. In the sheep, horse, swine and poultry departments the awards were made by competent judges.

Owing to the unfavorable weather conditions, Professor Stroebel has been unable to make ascensions in his airship, he having made only one since the opening of the fair. As he is under contract to make eight flights, he will have to make seven ascensions before the end of the fair.

Among the many unique exhibits two are especially attractive. One is a miniature set of bedroom furniture, made from tobacco, by a farmer living near the city, and the other a cross-cut saw, made and put together in a plant bottle, by William Ashe, of Danville.

The fancy work exhibit is especially attractive. Among the features of the afternoon was the athletic day contest, participated in by about twenty boys from the Y. M. C. A. About the most enjoyable feature of the fair is the daily concert given by the Richmond Light Infantry Blues Band.

TO PRESERVE GAME.
Piedmont Game and Fish Protective Association Starts Crusade.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] LYNCHBURG, Va., October 15.—The Piedmont Game and Fish Protective Association, which was organized here several months ago, has taken up a crusade against the use of automatic or repeating guns in hunting quail or cartridges in Virginia. In addition to this the association is seeking to get the co-operation of the farmers in the Lynchburg district to aid in the enforcement of the present laws.

Robbers Fired Building.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] BRISTOL, Va., October 15.—A special constable, George W. Wise, states that he heard of Phoebe Mahaffey, who was burned in the absence of the family. Seven hundred dollars in currency was deposited in a trunk in the house, and the belief is that robbers got the money, then fired the building.

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UNIVERSITY MUST PAY ALL EXPENSES

Unique Decision Handed Down and Virginia Institution Takes Appeal.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] BOSTON, MASS., October 15.—By a rather unique decision handed down in the Superior Court of this city, the University of Virginia, through its rector and board of trustees, must pay to Bentley W. Warren and others, trustees, acting as executors under the will of Arthur W. Austin, the expenses incurred by them in disbursing the money which comes from an annuity of \$25,000 purchased from the Massachusetts Hospital Life Insurance Company, of Boston, for the testator's son, Henry W. Austin.

The case has been in the courts for a long period, but notwithstanding the decision in the Superior Court, attorneys acting for the University of Virginia have taken an appeal to the Supreme Court, where the case will appear for a hearing in the near future.

When Arthur W. Austin died he left the bulk of his estate to the Virginia Institution. Aside from an income of \$1,000, which was given to the son, Henry, which was derived from the hospital annuity, the testator also provided that his son should receive an additional amount, bringing his income up to \$1,200 a year.

The question involved was whether the expense of the trustees should be paid from the \$1,200 a year allowed or by the University of Virginia. The court holds the latter must pay the expense.

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of Company G, Thirty-sixth Virginia Infantry, Stonewall Brigade, was killed at Cedar Creek, October 19, 1864. Several of his comrades saw him fall fatally wounded, but all trace of him was lost.

Mrs. Scott died without knowledge of her husband's last resting place. The son has traveled over North Carolina and Virginia in an effort to locate the grave, and to-day found the well-kept plot.

Remarkable Christmas Present.
Among the curious Christmas presents of this year will be one for a man of national reputation, which has been all year in the making.

Way last January the present was decided upon, and a friend of the prominent gentleman requested the Burrell Press Clipping Bureau, of New York, to watch every paper in America, and to take up every item which appeared concerning the man.

The clipping bureau people followed instructions, and now present the history of one year in the life of this special man. The history ends just after election, and the 20,642 newspaper items found include everything from a three-line editorial mention to full-page illustrated stories. These have been mounted on 3,200 great sheets of Irish linen paper and bound into three massive volumes.

At the head of each item is the name and date of paper clipped from, this information having been put in with a book typewriter. The words thus inserted amount to 153,852.